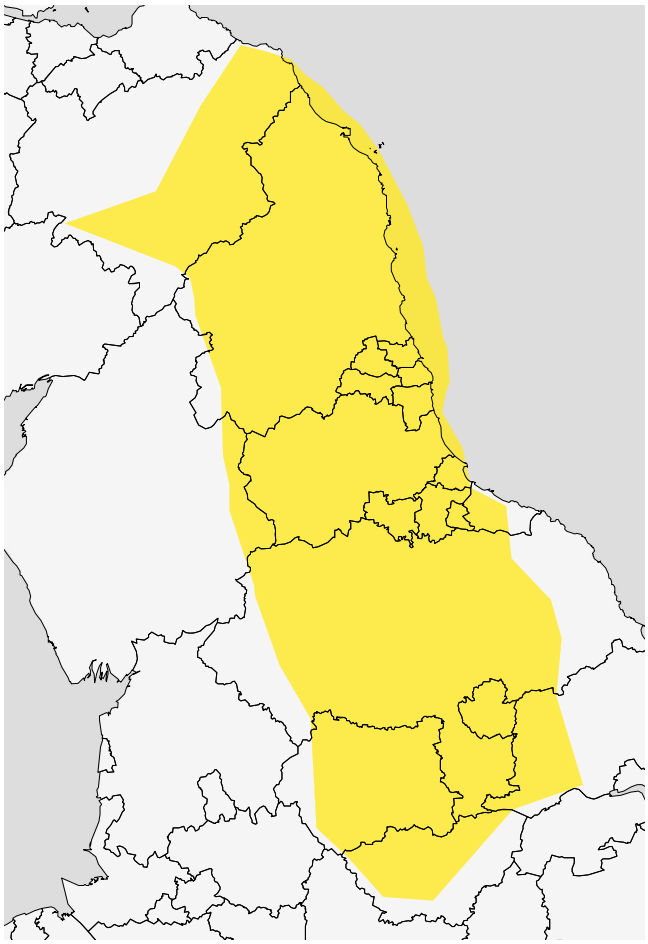
Yellow warning
Wind

Between
05:00 Fri 17 Feb 2023 and
14:00 Fri 17 Feb 2023



Very strong winds developing through Friday morning associated with Storm Otto may bring disruption to travel.

What to expect

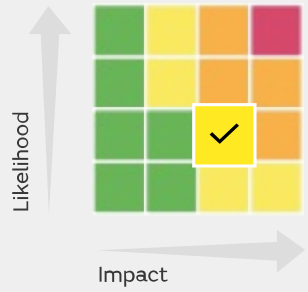
- Road, rail, air and ferry services may be affected, with longer journey times and cancellations possible. High-sided vehicles may be particularly prone in this set-up.
- Some roads and bridges may close
- Power cuts may occur, with the potential to affect other services, such as mobile phone coverage
- Some damage to buildings, such as tiles blown from roofs, could happen
- Injuries and danger to life from flying debris are possible

Further details

A spell of very strong winds is expected during Friday morning, easing from the west during the afternoon.

Winds will be strongest over, and immediately to the east of high ground, with gusts of 55-65 mph. Gusts as high as 75 mph are possible, particularly for some of the more exposed trans-Pennine routes.

High-sided vehicles may be particularly impacted.



Low likelihood of medium impacts

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Reason for update

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North West England

Cumbria

SW Scotland, Lothian Borders

Scottish Borders

Yorkshire & Humber

East Riding of Yorkshire North Yorkshire South Yorkshire West Yorkshire York

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